

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**IN RE PATENT TERM EXTENSION APPLICATION OF**

In re Application of:

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Serial No.: 08/809,699	Group Art Unit No.: 1611
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Carboxylic Acid Derivatives, Their Preparation and Use

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**PETITION TO APPLY PATENT TERM EXTENSION**  
**TO U.S. PATENT NO. RE42,462 UNDER 37 CFR §§1.182**

Sir:

On March 22, 2010, the undersigned attorney filed a petition under 37 CFR §1.182 to stay the proceedings regarding the Patent Term Extension Application for US Patent No. 5,932,730 (US Serial No. 08/809,699) ("Petition"). As explained in the Petition, two co-filed reissue applications, namely, US Application Nos. 12/481,594 and 12/481,598 were filed and currently pending. The prosecution of those co-filed reissue applications has concluded and Applicant/Patentee paid the issue fee in both reissue applications on Friday, April 22, 2011. On June 14, 2011, the reissue application having US Application No. 12/481,594 issued as RE42,462. Applicant hereby requests that the certificate of extension of patent term of the PTE application for US Patent No. 5,932,730 (US Serial No. 08/809,699) be applied to U.S. Patent No. RE42,462.

The fee set forth in 37 CFR § 1.17(f) for this Petition is \$400.00 and will be paid during electronic filing via the Revenue Accounting and Management System. However, if it is determined that any additional fees are due in connection with this Petition, the Director is hereby authorized to charge such fees, and/or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1662.

Attached herewith for the USPTO's convenience is a copy of RE42,462.

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